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Aug. 17, 1941
420 Montgomery St.,
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To the

President of Union College
Albany, N. Y.

Dear sir,

In our research to secure
material for a history of
Washington College, Chestertown
Md. (1782) We found our-
selves without any material
about seven presidents.
Four of These we have run
down.

From 1829 to 1832 we had a
Peter Clark. You had a Peter
Clark to graduate in 1827, which
I am afraid he was too
young, yet the standards
of the college were at a
low ebb at that time.

Would you kindly look
up your records of this
Peter Clark and let me
know if by any chance
he might also be ours.

Sincerely

(Mrs. G. E.) Frederica S Albee
Ch. of Research Committee.

CLASS OF 1827

PETER CLARK.

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He was a graduate of Union College.

He was President of Washington College, Kent Co., Md.

Children: ~~Philomax~~ Ma

Philemus Mann, b. Sept. 23, 1831

d. Oct. 14, 1855

A gifted son.

Genealogy of Richard Mann p. 156.

PETER CLARK, 1827, of Oxford, N.H., was a member of the Adelpic Society.
Adelpic Catalogue 1830 (Died: 1879)

21 Peter Clark, B.A., '27; M.A. (Dartmouth). Born, Oxford, N. H., 1803. Dartmouth College, 1823-'26; Union College, 1826-'27. (Father of G. P. Clark, C.C. '57.) President Washington College, Chestertown, Md., 1828-'31. Law student, Waterville, N. Y., 1831-'32. Lawyer, Aurora, N. Y., 1833-'35; New York, N. Y., 1842-'47. Real estate manager, Guyandotte, W. Va., 1847-'53. Lawyer, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1853-'59, 1865-'79. President railways and manager public works. One of the incorporators of Packer Institute, Brooklyn. Died, Brooklyn, N. Y., February 28, 1879.

Kappa Alpha cat. 1941

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Mr. P. Clarke, a graduate of Union College is lecturing in Vermont on Symme's theory.

Cayuga Patriot Dec. 5, 1827
Auburn, N. Y.

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From: Kappa Alpha in Union College
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Residence St. Louis, Mo.

CHILDREN:

1. Philenus Mann, born Sept. 23, 1831; died Oct. 14, 1855. He was gifted with a fine intellect, had studied medicine, and was nearly through with his studies, when he was suddenly called to a better world. His loss was keenly felt by a large circle of friends, who regarded him as a young man of great promise.
2. George Putnam, born July 20, 1833. Graduate of Union College, Class of 1857.
3. Emeline Mary Elizabeth, born August 28m 1836.
4. John Alden, born March 26, 1845.
5. Edgar Bartow, born November 27, 1847.

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John Clark
Boston 1866.

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